

In re application of: Karl K. RINK et al.

Serial No.: 10/085,644

Filed: 22 October 2001

For: ELONGATED INFLATOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF GAS PRODUCTION

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.

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x 09 =	\$
43 =	\$
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x 18 =	\$
x 86 =	\$
+ 290 =	\$
TOTAL	\$

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated as mailed on 07 November 2003,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page
5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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